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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir:

The following Amendment and Response is responsive to the Office Action mailed on April 9, 2008 in the above-identified patent application. Entry and consideration of the following amendments and remarks, and allowance of the claims, as presented, are respectfully requested. A Petition for a three month extension of time, up to and including October 9, 2008 is submitted herewith. Authorization to charge Attorney's charge card for the extension fee and any other proper fees was given in the EFS-Web filing submission papers.

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